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This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.378(c), filed August 18, 2011 and September 30, 2011, to accept the unintentionally delayed payment of a maintenance fee for the above-identified patent.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The patent issued June 29, 1999. The last day of the grace period for paying the 11.5-year maintenance fee was June 29, 2011. Therefore, since this petition was filed within twenty-four months after the six-month grace period provided in 37 CFR 1.362(e), this petition was timely filed under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.378(c).

The maintenance fee is hereby accepted and the above-identified patent is reinstated as of the mail date of this decision.

The file does not indicate a change of address has been submitted, although the address given on the petition differs from the address of record. A courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed to the address given on the petition.

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